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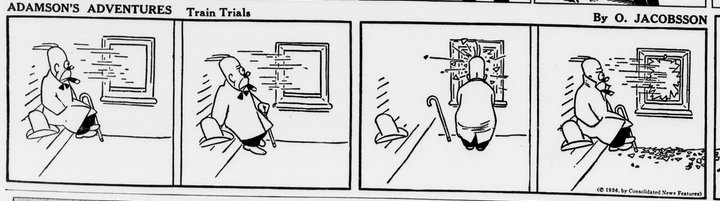

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LAVISH LOVE

THE FIDGETS

By GLUYAS WILLIAMS

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Only That and Nothing More

The fat man was trying to find some tropical clothes in the Far South resort. He tried most every store in town, and patient clerks had politely made a pretense of looking over their stocks and advising him they were just out of his size. Finally he ran across a clerk more truthful than diplomatic who—after looking him over—said:

"Frankly, mister, we carry nothing in stock that would fit you, except collar buttons and handkerchiefs."—American Legion Monthly.

In a Nutshell

The theater was in an uproar.

"They're calling for the author," said the manager.

"But I can't make a speech!" replied the man responsible for the play.

The manager grabbed the playwright and impelled him along the passage. As he shoved him toward the curtain he said curtly: "Well, just go in front and tell them you're sorry."—Hudson (N. Y.) Star.

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Review of Current Events the World Over

Says Conquered Ethiopia Will Be Italian Colony
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Some Campaign Developments.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

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is conquered, Emperor ...ssie has fled to Palestine, British cruiser, and the ... in possession of Addis Ababa. The war in East Africa is ended. But this climax may be only the beginning of a still greater story. For Benito Mussolini tells the world that all of Ethiopia now belongs to Italy, to be treated as a colony and defended by force of arms if necessary. He forms just a little by giving the French ambassador that he would not insist on such and British interests ...ssing the French ...Djibouti to Addis Ababa ...ts interests in the Lake ...ions of the Blue Nile. It ...ected that if France and ...support his program he ...them full trade privileges ...and exclude all other na...

...e of Nations council was ...in Geneva and it was ...anti-Fascist sentiment ...French left parties that ...into power would influ... such attitude there. The ...said not to be recon... Italy's victory and it was ...reign Secretary Eden ...ence of the pen... Italy, provided the other ...agrees. Indeed, the ...et will raise the sanc... program powers take the ...proposal. Failure to obtain ...recognition in this case ...success in East Africa is ...for Great Britain, ...the ownership of the Suez ...Anthony Eden told ...by Italian aggression ...military sanctions ...due to the horror ...feel, of the ultimate ...Liberties enraged Eden ...and he refused to die ...government's policy at ...be, demanding a free ...circumstances as to measures ...objectives of the legation ...

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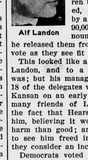

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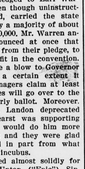

Senator Vandenberg

...Italian ...welcomed by the ...remained in the city, ...ing the French ...to pillage, plunder and ...business center of the ...goodly wrecked and the ...buildings were stormed ...these including the treas... which the state's store of ...taken, and the armory. The ...streets, with corpses and ...lying, cried by liquor, ...shooting at random and ...their loot to carry it to ...

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DANIEL O. HASTINGS, senator from Delaware, chairman of the Republican senatorial campaign committee and outspoken opponent of the New Deal, will not seek re-election when his present term expires. He so announced in a letter to the party leaders of his state, giving as his reason the necessity to devote himself to his law practice. This may have influenced his decision, but it is more than suspected that the real reason was the fact that the du Pont family, all-powerful in Delaware Republican politics, had decided that the senatorial seat should go to Gov. C. Douglas Buck, who is related to the du Ponts by marriage. Senator Hastings has always been ready and eloquent in defense of the du Ponts against attacks by the New Dealers.

Sen. Hastings

MINERS and operators in the Pennsylvania anthracite fields have agreed upon the continuance of existing wage levels for two years, though final details of the contract are still being worked out.

Other points decided upon, it was said, are a complete checkoff of union dues, a form of equalization of working time in idle collieries and a seven-hour day during the second year of the contract. The miners now work an eight-hour, six-day week and had been seeking a six-hour, five-day week.

IN his press conference the President announced that administration leaders had reached substantial agreement on the principles and objectives of a housing program.

He declared himself in favor of the Wagner bill, which is designed to encourage better housing through slum clearance. He indicated the bill could be modified to include provision for low cost housing to bring better homes within the reach of low income classes.

SOME one with a peculiar idea of humor played a mean joke on the authorities in Washington. The red flag of Communist Russia with the hammer and sickle was discovered at dawn flying from the flag staff atop the marble building of the Supreme court of the United States. It was so skillfully fastened up there that policemen and firemen worked an hour and a half before the revolutionary emblem could be removed.

SECRETARY OF STATE HULL has successfully negotiated another reciprocal trade agreement. It is with France and was signed at the State department by Mr. Hull and Andre de Laboulaye, the French ambassador. It will become effective on June 15, and the details of the pact were not immediately made public. It is believed the terms include duty concessions by the United States on French wines, cigarette papers, and luxuries such as laces and cosmetics, and by France on American exports of agricultural and industrial products. The agreement is also understood to contain increases in French quotas on American exports of fruits, and possibly other products.

Sec'y Hull

An announcement by the State department said:

"The agreement with France is the first comprehensive arrangement for regulating commercial relations with that country in many years. It will provide improved opportunities for the expansion of trade in products of special interest to each country, and will enable the commercial interests concerned to develop these opportunities without fear of the sudden and unforeseen changes to which they are exposed in the absence of such an agreement.

"In addition to duty concessions and quota increases by France and duty concessions by the United States on carefully selected lists of products, the agreement provides in general for substantial most-favored-nation treatment by each country of the commerce of the other."

FINAL elections in France put complete control of the chamber of deputies in the hands of the revolutionary "Popular Front," a coalition of Communists, Socialists, Radical Socialists and minor left wing groups. The new chamber does not meet until June, and the confusion is so great that there are fears of chaos and financial panic in the interim. Many believe the Popular Front will be unable to form a stable government to succeed that of Premier Sarraut. The lead must be taken by the Socialists, for they now form the largest group in the chamber with 146 seats.

SINCE international naval disarmament efforts have failed, those who advocate adequate national defense rejoice in the passage by the house of the bill appropriating approximately $531,000,000 to build our navy up to treaty strength. Representative Maverantonio of New York and a few others put up loud opposition, but a record vote was not necessary. The objectors dwelt especially on a clause authorizing the laying of keels for two 35,000 ton battleships after January 1, 1937, should any foreign signatory to the London naval treaty start a battleship replacement program. Two days later they might have read dispatches from London saying rumors had reached there that Japan was considering laying down a 55,000 ton battleship armed with 21-inch guns.

Just a Little Smile

CO-OPERATION

A man stood for several minutes watching a brawny truckman tugging at a heavy box almost as wide as the doorway through which he was trying to move it. Presently the onlooker asked: "Like a lift?"

"Thanks, I would," the other replied, and for the next five minutes the two men, on opposite sides of the box, worked, lifted, puffed and wheezed, but the object of their attentions did not move an inch. Finally the helper straightened up and said between puffs: "I don't believe—we can—ever get—it out."

"Get it out?" the truckman roared. "Why, I'm trying to get it in!"—Tit-Bits.

COLLEGIATE

"Working hard at college?"

"Not yet. The ground is too wet and slippery. We begin regular training next week."

The Wrong Sort

Brown arrived at the office on Monday morning with his arm in a bandage and a shield over one eye.

"Good gracious!" exclaimed his friend. "What have you been doing?"

"This is what comes of taking the doctor's advice," Brown replied, with deep feeling.

"Doctor's advice," echoed the other. "But I don't understand."

"Well," Brown explained, "my doctor told me to go for a tramp every day. I came off best the first three days, but the blighter I tackled yesterday was an ex-pugilist."

One Advantage

He was proud of the fine sons he possessed, but found their education expensive; and this, with other financial troubles, had put him into a bad temper. But he managed to answer a farmer civilly when asked to admire a fine litter of pigs.

When he was told how expensive it was to keep them he again lost his temper.

"Keep them!" he reared. "Keep them! He thankful you haven't got to educate them."

Fight Ahead

"No, Henry, I don't think a manicurist should marry a dentist."

"And why not?"

"If we fought it would be tooth and nail."—Windsor Star.

REASONABLE

Father—You admit Tom is perfect, still you refuse to marry him.

Daughter—I notice ma has to throw some of your imperfections up to you occasionally in order to get money. What could I do in a case like that?

Combination Rates

Customer—I want to see some diamond rings, platinum if you please.

Jeweler—Certainly, sir. Let me show you our combination three-ring sets—engagement, wedding and teething at 10 per cent discount.

Laying a Foundation

"What is the first step toward remedying the discontent of the masses?"

"The first step," replied the energetic campaigner, "is to get out and make speeches to prove to them how discontented they are."

Traveling Fast

"You were at a disadvantage when you met that bear without your gun," suggested the sweet young thing.

"Yes," conceded the famous hunter. "I was a stranger in the country and hadn't any road maps."

No Complaint

Mother—What subject do you like best in school?

Helen—Psychology.

Mother—Why, they don't teach that in your school.

Helen—I know. That's why I like it.

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Holland Tunnel Engineers Didn't Consider Esmeralda

Perhaps it was due to an oversight by the engineers who designed the Holland tunnel, under the Hudson river in New York city, but at any rate Esmeralda, a circus giraffe, just couldn't be squeezed through recently. Esmeralda was on a truck and the driver realized the grave danger of decapitation just in time.

Someone suggested slipping Esmeralda in sideways, but the truck wasn't large enough to hold her length. The problem was heatedly debated for some time. Finally the George Washington bridge was suggested and tried, and Esmeralda arrived safely at the circus grounds.

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Beware of Idleness

Many of the wrong things men do are done in idle moments because they can't think of anything else to do.

A man's wife is his best "guide book on etiquette."

No man can resist telling again and again how he felt when "death stared him in the face."

A word out of the dictionary makes a lowbrow suspicious; but he pick up greedily all the slang words a fad.

Early Habits Tell

What can old men in a village do? Well, they ought to have cultivated a taste for trading with goats when they were twenty. If they "jes set," that's what they'll do when they're old.

If diamonds could be found by the bushel, they would still be as beautiful as when they cost $5,000 apiece.

How the flagging conversation blazes up just as everyone rises to leave.

AILING ALL THE TIME

Mrs. J. M. Waldron of P. O. Box 1, Parkersburg, W. Va., said: "Any pain short completely tired me out. I hardly sang a wink at night, had spitting spells and my nerves became on-fled easily. I was so thin and pale I didn't look like myself at all. After using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription a few weeks I gradually grew stronger and felt better every day. I was doing no more work. Buy now of your druggist.

This story will interest many Men and Women

NOT long ago I was like some friends I have... low in spirits... run-down... out of sorts... tired easily and looked terrible. I knew I had no serious organic trouble as I reasoned sensibly... as my experience has since proven... that work, worry, colds and whatnot had just worn me down.

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